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Re: Application of Richard John KNIGHT and Trevor John COLEMAN  
 COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK  
 Our Ref: CQ10056

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and in accordance with Chapter II of the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☒ an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ an executed Small Entity Declaration.
- ☐ an English translation of the International Application.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 19 claim amendments.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 34 amendments (annexes to the IPER).
- ☒ an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form.
- ☒ a Preliminary Amendment.
- ☒ an Information Disclosure Statement, disclosing the references cited in the International Search Report, the International Search Report, PTO Form 1449, and the references listed therein.

It is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by § 371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned can easily provide them upon request.

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Priority is claimed from August 18, 1998 and October 9, 1998, based on Great Britain Application No. 9818022.7 and 9822113.8.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures:

1. PTO Transmittal Letter (original and 1 copy) with executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
2. Preliminary Amendment
3. PTO Form 1595 with executed Assignment
4. Information Disclosure Statement w/International Search Report, 1449 Form and references cited therein (3); and
5. Change of Correspondence Address.